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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT SEATTLE

9 ALISHA R. SILBAUGH,

10 Plaintiff,

CASE NO. C18-0569-JLR

11 v.

12 THE DEPT. OF HOMELAND SECURITY,

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

13 Defendants.

14 Because plaintiff does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$400.00 filing fee,
15 plaintiff financially qualifies for *in forma pauperis* (IFP) status pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1).
16 Therefore, plaintiff's IFP application (Dkt. 1) is GRANTED. The Clerk of the Court is directed
17 to send a copy of this Order to plaintiff and to the assigned District Judge.

18 DATED this 19th day of April, 2018.

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21 Mary Alice Theiler
22 United States Magistrate Judge
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